



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : David Walterus DEKKERS Confirmation No.: 9894  
Appl. No. : 10/565,507  
Filed : October 2, 2006  
Title : THIO-SUBSTITUTED PHENBUTAZONE COMPOUNDS AS  
ANTI-INFLAMMATORY, ANTI-VIRAL AND  
IMMUNOMODULATORY AGENTS

Group Art Unit : 4121  
Examiner : A. Fierro

Docket No.: : DEKK3002/REF  
Customer No: : 23364

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Official Action of April 22, 2009, in connection with the above-identified application. The period for response has been extended to expire on October 22, 2009 by the filing herewith of a Petition for a Five Month Extension and payment of the required fees.

Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.